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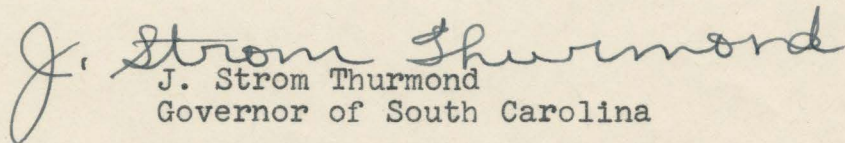
STATEMENT BY J. STROM THURMOND, GOVERNOR
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It is a genuine pleasure to me to extend heartiest greetings to the South Carolina residents now visiting the beautiful City of Clearwater and Pinellas County and also to those who have visited here in the past. I know your stay in this fine vacation resort city will be enjoyable. As an occasional visitor to Clearwater, I am aware of its many attractions to vacationists.

The Clearwater Sun deserves congratulations upon their effort to further good will among our states and cities through this special edition they are sponsoring. I know every South Carolinian would join me, if he could, in expressing appreciation for this tribute to our State.

Never before in history has South Carolina faced a more hopeful future. In industrial expansion, in agricultural development, in governmental advances, and in every phase of human betterment, our State is reaching upward to higher and better things.

The people of Florida and South Carolina have always been on the best of terms, and I know they will remain so, as our beloved Southland moves forward in harmony and progress.


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